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1. IN A CONVERSATION WITH AN OFFICIAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS ON OCTOBER 7, SERGIO SEGRE, CHIEF OF THE CONFIDENTIAL

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ITALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY'S (PCI) FOREIGN SECTION, SAID THAT

HE WOULD BE LEADING THE PCI'S DELEGATION TO THE FORTHCOMING EUROPEAN COMMUNIST CONFERENCE CONSULTATIVE MEETING AT WARSAW. SEGRE SAID THAT ALL EUROPEAN COMMUNIST PARTIES WOULD BE REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THOSE OF ALBANIA AND THE NETHERLANDS.

2. SEGRE STRESSED THAT THE WARSAW CONFERENCE IS PURELY EXPLORATORY TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE CONDITIONS ARE RIGHT TO PROCEED WITH THE PLANNING FOR A FORMAL CONFERENCE OF EUROPEAN COMMUNIST PARTIES. IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION, HE RULED OUT THE POSSIBILITY THAT ANY SUCH CONFERENCE, IF ACTUALLY CONVOKED, WOULD BE HELD IN ROME. IN PASSING, SEGRE SAID THAT HE DOES NOT EXPECT A WORLD COMMUNIST CONFERENCE TO BE CONVENED BEFORE THE THIRD STAGE OF THE CSCE TAKES PLACE. BEAUDRY

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